

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Investigation into
Statements by SBC Communications and SBC
Pacific Bell Regarding Potential Reductions to
Service Quality.

Investigation 02-11-008

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
GRANTING MOTION OF SBC PACIFIC BELL FOR CONFIDENTIAL
TREATMENT OF THE CONFIDENTIAL VERSION OF THE REPLY
COMMENTS OF SBC PACIFIC BELL AND DIRECTING THAT THE
CONFIDENTIAL VERSION OF THE REPLY COMMENTS OF
SBC PACIFIC BELL BE FILED UNDER SEAL**

For good cause shown, the motion of SBC Pacific Bell for confidential treatment of the confidential version of the Reply Comments of SBC Pacific Bell (the "Reply Comment") is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the confidential version of the Reply Comments shall be filed under seal.

Dated December 16, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KARL J. BEMESDERFER

Karl J. Bemesderfer
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Granting Motion of SBC Pacific Bell for Confidential Treatment of the Confidential Version of the Reply Comments of SBC Pacific Bell and Directing that the Confidential Version of the Reply Comments of SBC Pacific Bell be Filed Under Seal on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated December 16, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ TERESITA C. GALLARDO
Teresita C. Gallardo

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